



TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET: 97-00309

IN RE: BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S ENTRY INTO LONG
DISTANCE (INTERLATA) SERVICE IN TENNESSEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 271 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

DATE: August 28, 2001

On July 30, 2001, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") submitted its 271 Filing with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority"). On August 6, 2001, the Authority notified the parties of the discovery schedule in this proceeding. On August 24, 2001, BellSouth filed *BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Objections to Sprint's First Set of Interrogatories and First Request for Production of Documents* and *BellSouth's Objections to AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc., the Southeastern Competitive Carriers Association, Brooks Fiber Communications of Tennessee, Inc., MCI Metro Access Transmission Services, LLC, Time Warner of the Mid-South, LP, XO Tennessee, Inc. and Dieca d/b/a Covad Communications Company's First Data Request to BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.* On August 27, 2001, BellSouth filed *BellSouth's Objections to First Data Requests of Consumer Advocate and Protection Division*.

Any party to this action desiring to file a motion to compel discovery addressing BellSouth's objections shall file such motion with the Authority not later than **2:00 p.m. on Friday, August 31, 2001**, according to Authority Rule 1220-1-2-.11(9) and the Tenn. R. Civ. P. Rule 37.01. BellSouth shall respond to any motion to compel not later than **2:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 6, 2001**.

Also, on August 27, 2001, BellSouth filed *Petition of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. for Clarification and Reconsideration of Initial Order of Hearing Officer on July 12, 2001 Status Conference and Restatement of BellSouth's Position*. Any party filing a response to BellSouth's Petition for Clarification and Reconsideration of Hearing Officer's Initial Order of July 12, 2001 shall do so not later than **2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 5, 2001**.

FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY:


Melvin J. Malone, Hearing Officer

cc: Parties of Record

Original in docket file